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To further introduce our new "Suburban Blend" coffee, we will give you your choice

Of the following articles with one pound, (25c).
A pretty picture, matted, ready to frame, white and gold cup and saucer, white and gold plate, half gallon yeast jar with cover, half gallon bean jar and half gallon jug. No restrictions.
Can be seen in our window.

Owl Tea House
SIX BARS SILK SOAP 25c.

BUILD NEW SHOPS

O. R. & N. ASKS FOR \$200,000 FOR LA GRANDE.

Harriman Exchequer Will Be Tapped for New Shops, Round Houses and Other Needed Improvements—New 35-Store Round House Is Assured—Old Buildings Have Been Long Outgrown.

O. R. & N. officials have asked for the sum of \$200,000 from the exchequer of the Harriman system for the purpose of erecting new machine shops at La Grande this year. If the appropriation is allowed by the directors, work on the shops will begin in the near future.

The volume of business on the mountain division of the O. R. & N. has increased to such an extent that the present shop and round house facilities are wholly inadequate to the number of engines required in the service of the company, and new buildings are absolutely necessary to properly care for the equipment used.

Whether the new shops are erected or not, a new round house of 35 stalls and costing about \$80,000 will be erected at the earliest possible date. The old round house will shelter but 15 engines and has been outgrown for a number of years.

Sites for the new buildings can be secured adjacent to the old shops and the company will completely rebuild the yards, tracks, shops and round house facilities in La Grande if the appropriation for the shops is authorized.

About 60 men are now employed in the shops, round houses, yards and

When You Are Hurt

THAT'S THE TIME TO USE OUR

F & S Liniment

It is a reliable remedy that should be kept in every home. Accidents will happen and aches and pains are common. This liniment heals burns, cuts and bruises and cures swellings, chilblains, rheumatism, neuralgia, etc. Rely on it and the period of suffering will be shortened. Costs 25c and 50c per bottle. For sale by

Tallman & Co.
Leading Druggists

W.D. FLETCHER
THE PIONEER WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER, 305 Court Street. Jewelry made to order. Wedding rings a specialty. All work guaranteed.

ROSEMARY

The name of a new "French Gray" pattern, in silver plated flat ware, of which we have just received a good stock direct from the factory at Rockford, Illinois.
It is the most beautiful pattern yet produced in plated ware, and is not excelled in die work, design, nor finish by solid silver. The quality is "Rockford," none better.
From beauty of design and quality you would think it high-priced but it is not.
Hollow handle Knives and Forks, per set \$12.00
Table Spoons, per set of 6 \$4.50
Tea Spoons, per set of 6 \$2.50

WINSLOW BROTHERS
POSTOFFICE BLOCK JEWELER-OPTICIANS.

Commercial National Bank
Pendleton, Oregon

is particularly well equipped to give every depositor prompt and efficient service and reasonable earnings on his deposits.

COURT STREET FIRE

DEFECTIVE STOVE WAS ORIGIN OF BLAZE.

Furniture and Hardware Stock Damaged Several Hundred Dollars—Fire Department on the Scene Promptly. But the Fire Was Not Easily Extinguished—Nearly All the Damage Was Done in the Rear of the Building, to Both Stock and Building.

By a fire which started shortly before 10 o'clock last night the Bradley furniture and hardware store in the Ladow block, on Court street, was damaged to the extent of several hundred dollars.

The fire started in the rear of the building, and it was first noticed by Will Hessian and Clarence Adams, who were passing. They broke in the front door while others turned in an alarm. The fire was found in the rear of the room and had caught from the stove.

Within a short time the central fire companies arrived on the scene and the blaze was brought under control. However, it was some time before the fire was all extinguished, and during that time considerable damage was done by water to the stock in the rear of the store. The goods in the front part were not injured.

Loss Fully Covered. W. W. Bradley, owner of the store, was in Portland at the time of the fire and has not yet returned. In his absence Mr. Martin, clerk for Mr. Bradley, refused to place an estimate on the loss to the stock, but said it was fully covered by insurance.

Comparatively little damage was done to the building, though the rear of the room will have to be replastered and other repairs made.

RAILROADS OWE \$57,000.

Walla Walla County Will Collect Large Sums in Taxes.

Aside from \$3,329.85, representing the personal tax paid by the O. R. & N. a few days ago, the four railroad companies operating in Walla Walla county have so far failed to liquidate their 1905 taxes, says the Walla Statesman. County Treasurer Hawley figured up this morning that there is due the county from the O. R. & N., the Northern Pacific, W. & C. R. and Mill Creek road the tidy little sum of \$57,406.69, which would go a long way toward paying for the 10 miles of macadamized roads that property owners have petitioned for.

Segregated, the roads owe the county the following amounts: O. R. & N., real property, \$25,646.39; W. & C. R., real property, \$15,265.23; W. & C. R., personal property, \$781.86; Northern Pacific, real property, \$2,517.44; Mill Creek railroad, real property, \$543.14; total, \$57,406.69.

INDETERMINATE SENTENCE.

Joe Williams Will Serve Time for Several Forgeries.

Joe Williams, the Pilot Rock blacksmith who recently turned bogus check artist, was this morning given an indeterminate sentence in the penitentiary by Judge W. R. Ellis. The same was done after he had entered a plea of guilty to the charge against him.

Several weeks ago Williams issued several checks on the Pendleton Savings Bank in favor of himself and signed with the name of L. E. Roy of Pilot Rock. One of the checks was taken by Anton Nolte, while another was cashed by John Schmidt. When arrested for another crime a third check was found on Williams and it was through this that the forgery was learned of.

ORGANIZED AT ECHO.

Equal Suffrage Movement Started Off With Good Committee and Much Enthusiasm.

Miss Mary N. Chase has just returned from Echo, where she organized an equal suffrage committee of 26, and where there is a great deal of enthusiasm over the prospect of carrying the amendment at the coming election.

Miss Chase addressed the people of Echo at the M. E. church last night. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion and it was one of the most enthusiastic meetings ever held in the county. Mrs. Lillian Crawford was elected chairman of the committee and Mrs. Richard Jones, secretary.

GAIL LAUGHLIN COMING.

Prominent Lecturer in the Cause of Equal Suffrage at Music Hall March 16.

Miss Gail Laughlin, who is now campaigning for the equal suffrage movement in the Willamette valley, will deliver an address on that subject at Music hall in this city on Friday night, March 16.

Miss Laughlin is one of the national speakers for the cause of equal suffrage and is a speaker of great ability and force. She is addressing large audiences in the western Oregon counties, and is doing excellent work for the cause. She will make a tour of eastern Oregon, her date in this city to be one of the first fixed for any eastern Oregon point.

LUMBER YARD AT HERMISTON.

Will Be Managed by Harry Shaw, Formerly of Echo.

C. E. Troutman was at Hermiston yesterday on business connected with the starting of the lumber yard at that place by the Inland Empire Lumber company, of which he, M. S. Kern and L. K. Blakeslee are the owners. The yard is to be managed by Harry Shaw, who has been with the Wind River Lumber company at

Echo. Several carloads of lumber have already arrived at Hermiston, and sheds are now being constructed for the yard.

NO SUCCESSOR TO JUDSON.

O. R. & N. Company Has Not Decided Yet as to Office of Industrial Agent.

General Freight Agent R. B. Miller, of the O. R. N., while in the city this morning, had not yet definitely decided as to what to do in the matter of the office of industrial agent, so long and ably filled by Col. R. C. Judson, deceased.

No successor to Col. Judson has been selected but the office has not been abandoned as yet, the company simply having taken no action in the matter. Mr. Miller expressed great satisfaction with the excellent results achieved by Col. Judson as industrial agent, and hoped that the territory which enjoyed Col. Judson's presence and co-operation had appreciated his work.

"The freight department of the O. R. & N. is deeply interested in the industrial development of the northwest," said Mr. Miller, "and will do all in its power to make every acre produce the highest limit of valuable crops."

MAY BE REDUCED.

Effort to Keep Paving Cost Within the \$10,000 Limit.

Negotiations are still on between the members of the city council and the representatives of the Warren Construction company, and efforts are being made to have the city's portion of the expense of paving reduced, so as to be within the \$10,000 limit of warrant indebtedness. Though nothing definite has yet been accomplished, it is believed this can be done. If no other way presents itself it is suggested that the paving district be cut down so as to bring the cost of paving the intersections within the \$10,000 limit.

Mayor Fee stated this afternoon that he believed the Warren company would do the work on the district originally proposed at a cost of only \$10,000 to the city. Such a proposition he declares was made by the company's representative after the council meeting the other night.

WOULD MAKE JOINT CANVASS.

Judge Lowell Will Invite Other Candidates to Make Tour of the State.

Judge S. A. Lowell, who is now a candidate for the nomination for the office of United States senator, will suggest to other candidates that a joint canvass of the state be made, in order that the people may become acquainted with all candidates personally. In this way large meetings could be secured and dates of political gatherings would not conflict so much as where each candidate makes a separate trip over the country holding meetings independently.

Judge Lowell will perhaps spend 20 days at the latter end of the campaign in different parts of the state in the interest of his candidacy.

WEST'S MINSTRELS TONIGHT.

West's Big Musical Combination at the Frazier Tonight.

West's Minstrels will appear at the Frazier tonight in a delightful musical program. The minstrels come well recommended from the winter's tour of the United States and are improved in every way since their last performance here.

Runaway Returned Home.

Ida Smith, a 17-year-old girl who ran away from her home in Baker City three days ago, was taken into custody last evening by Marshal Gurdane, acting upon orders from the girl's mother. The latter came down from Baker City last night and returned home this morning with her wayward daughter. The father of Ida is said to be in Los Angeles at present.

Lectured Youthful Thieves.

Last evening Marshal Gurdane captured two youthful chicken thieves while they were trying to sell two chickens they had stolen, to some Chinamen here. After severely lecturing the boys the marshal compelled them to return the chickens to the owners, and it is not likely they will engage further in the practice.

Enjoyed Half Holiday.

The seventh grade of the east end school in charge of Mrs. Nellie McAdam, enjoyed a half holiday this afternoon as a reward for prompt attendance during the past month. Not one scholar in the room has been tardy during the month. Other rooms expect a half holiday soon for the same excellent attendance.

Sold Farming Equipment.

Pierce & Tweedy have sold 30 head of work horses and their plows and other farming equipment to Sam Mentzer and Joe Hadden, who will engage in farming on the reservation. The deal was pending for some time, but was not completed until last week.

Marriage License Issued.

A marriage license was issued today to E. P. Dixon and Elsie Huebech, both of this county.

Every Sick Man

or woman really ought to try a bottle of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters without any further delay. It has been the means of restoring thousands of others to robust health and will do as much for you, too. For 53 years

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

has been the main standby of sickly people everywhere. It cures Sour Risings, Vomiting, Poor Appetite, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Costiveness, Colds, Grippe or Malarial Fever.

Now is the Spring

And now is the time to prepare your wardrobe for the Spring Season. For ninety days we have Oregon's spring weather.

Medium Weight Suits

are therefore in demand and we have them in variety, fabric and of the fashionable cut; loose, but not baggy. We are sure we can show you just what you most desire in real worth of suit. We "keep the QUALITY UP," and honestly represent the value.

Boston Store

Where Every Chance Is Good

CLEANING UP STOCK

A side from the lines of Cut Glass and China that I am closing out, there is in my store a quantity of miscellaneous articles too numerous to name, that I am selling at surprisingly low prices in order to get the space they are occupying. Come in and look around; you may find "just what you want."

ROYAL M. SAWTELLE

MAY INCORPORATE

UMATILLA WILL VOTE MARCH 31 TO DECIDE.

There Are Now in the Town "Over One Hundred and Fifty Inhabitants, and Over Forty Voters," the Required Minimum—At the Same Time Candidates for City Offices Will Be Voted Upon Who Will Serve in the Event the Order for Incorporation Carries.

On March 31 the citizens of Umatilla will vote upon the subject of incorporation, and if the matter carries, as it is presumed it will, the place will then become the city of Umatilla.

At the session of county court held yesterday the petition asking for the incorporation of Umatilla was presented. It is signed by 46 residents of that place, and represents that within the town there are over 150 inhabitants and over 40 voters, those being the minimum allowed for an incorporated town.

The petition was acted upon favorably by the court, and an order has been prepared directing that on March 31, 1906, an election be held at Umatilla for the purpose of determining the popular will in the matter.

At the same time a set of officers for the ensuing year will be chosen and will go into power at once pending incorporation carries at the election. The officers are to be a mayor, six aldermen, a recorder, marshal and auditor.

Suit on Account.

Stone Bros. have commenced action against S. Zennie & Co., to collect the sum of \$133.12, which they allege is due upon an account for merchandise sold. The suit was filed this morning by J. H. Lawrey.

Empire Meat Market

Phone, Main 18

Wholesale and retail dealers in Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal and Fresh Fish. Try our "S-G" Hams, Bacon and Lard.

Schwarz & Greulich
607 Main St.

Get The Best Good Dry Wood

and ROCK SPRING COAL the Coal that gives the most heat.

W. C. MINNIS

Leave orders at Hennings' cigar store, Opp. Peoples Warehouse. Phone Main 6.

To Visit Pilot Rock. Rev. W. L. Van Nuyk, pastor of the Presbyterian church and Rev. Robert Diven, who has charge of the country missionary work in this county, left this morning for Pilot Rock on a brief visit.

"WATCH US GROW."

Every grocer in America will tell you he has GOOD COFFEE.

Every grocer in Pendleton will tell you this; but no merchant will look you straight in the eye and say his COFFEE is better than

Chase & Sanborn "High Grade." Coffee

He may muster up courage and say his COFFEE is "just as good," but he stops right there.

WE ARE AGENTS
Gray Bros. Grocery Co

GOLD MEDAL BUTTER.

"WE GIVE COUPONS."

COAL

LET US FILL YOUR BIN WITH Rock Spring Coal

Recognized as the best and most economical fuel. We are prepared to contract with you for your winter's supply. We deliver coal or wood to any part of the city.

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MAIN STREET + NEAR DEPOT

Attention

We are still doing business at the same old stand. We have a full line of saddles, the best harness on the market, and all kinds of Indian specialties. Our prices are right, our goods the best, and our present force all COMPETENT WORKMEN. In order to make room for spring goods we are closing out our Horse Blankets and Robes at a sacrifice. The best is none too good for you. If you want it call on

CRAWFORD the Harness man